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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Larry Mok, et al.
Serial Number : 09/732,117
Filing Date : December 07, 2000
Examiner : L. R. Leo
Group Art Unit : 3753
For : INCREASED EFFICIENCY IN LIQUID
AND GASEOUS PLANAR DEVICE
COOLING TECHNOLOGY

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Post Office Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated December 20, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amend Claims 16 to 20 as set forth in the Appendix A attached hereto. The contents of Claims 3, 4, 7 and 8 have been incorporated into Claim 17 as suggested by the Examiner.

Claims 1 - 10, 12 - 15 are canceled.